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An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

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CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

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Respectfully submitted,

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RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS

Responsive to the Notice to File Missing Parts mailed June 17, 2004, the period for response being until August 17, 2004, enclosed are the following:

- 1) Declaration (2 pages including Submission on Behalf of Deceased Inventor Under 37 C.F.R. §1.42)
- 2) Surcharge Fee of \$130; and
- 3) Copy of the Notice to File Missing Parts.

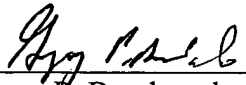
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In view of the enclosures, it is respectfully submitted that an action on the merits is in order; and such is respectfully requested.

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